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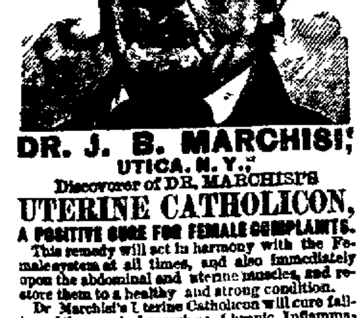

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PITH AND POINT.

A NATIONAL salute—"Here's to you!"

A CHINA set—A hen on a porcelain nest-egg.

FULL-LENGTH statues stand all kinds of weather.

MANY an unlucky sailor has met a shark-ing fate.

ESTHETIC editors have their paste made from sun flour now.

WORTHLESS checks—Plaid trousers with the seat torn out.

SOME men are like the moon. They get full once in about so often.

HOW TO make a barrel of flour go a great way—Ship it to Australia.

THE sun is no invalid, but it always goes South to spend the winter.

ABOUT the last thing a man thinks of giving to his girl is a switch, and yet that is often what she needs the most.

THE careless man and the thief are equally troublesome. Neither of them ever leaves anything where he finds it.

WHEN two women are talking together it is safe to predict that they are saying evil of a third, when two men, that they are saying good of themselves.

THE intelligent compositor left out the letter *d* in a paragraph about a beautiful actress, and informed the public that crows flocked to see her wherever she went.

"So your daughter has married a rich husband." "Well," slowly replied the father, "I believe she has married a rich man, but I understand he is a very poor husband."

STATISTICS show that women commit suicide most frequently on Sunday. It is on that day that the humiliation of having to wear last season's bonnet is most keenly felt.—*Syracuse Herald.*

PERSISTENT Party—"Not at home? But are you sure he isn't? Don't you think you had better go and ask?" New maid—"No, sir, it wouldn't be a bit of good. He told me he wasn't, most distinctly."

ONE of the Oscar Wilde agonies: A new agony is for a girl to buy a 36-cent tambourine, paint a sunflower in one corner and a pond lily in another, and hang it up on the wall as a decoration. This signifies "Art and music have joined hands, let 'em jingle."

ONE of our friends advertised for a serving man, and the next day appeared a stout person of grave air wearing enormous blue spectacles. "Have you weak eyes?" said our friend. "No, sir," said the applicant, "but I scour pots and things so thoroughly that the glitter of them hurts my sight."—*Le Figaro.*

THE great apostle of the esthetes was asked which of all the numerals he thought the most truly beautiful and serenely lovely. "Why, four, to be sure," he replied with an air of inexpressible languor. "And why?" asked his fair questioner. "Because it's two twos." And that was all he said that day.

GEOMETRIC.

He put it thus: "My Mary, dear,
Why [illegible] away," said he,
"What mathematical figure
Do you suggest to me?"
I gave the problem up at once,
And [illegible] much for my head,
"Why [illegible] you see [illegible] plain to me,
[illegible]" he said.
—[illegible]

HOW PEOPLE do change, to be sure. There are the Pingreys, for instance. Six months ago, before they were married, when Henry used to leave her house, Martha would stand at the gate and throw kisses at him until he was out of sight. This morning, when he left home, instead of a kiss Martha threw a fire shovel.—*Boston Transcript.*

SEVERAL residents of Norwich, Ct., recently witnessed what they call a "singular lunar phenomenon." "Two pyramidal luminous protuberances appeared on the moon's upper limb." This is not singular. On account of the prevalence of the small-pox, the moon had been vaccinated on the upper limb—hence the protuberances. It "took." If the moon had been an opera singer, the operation would have been performed on the lower limb.—*Norristown Herald.*

Who is this Ferocious looking Man? He is Foreman in a Printing office. He gets Paid for Throwing Men Down Stairs when they Come to Lick the Editor, and for putting wrong Dates at the Head of the Paper. He can Pi more type in fifteen Minutes than Seven Printers can set up in Two weeks. He loves to ask the Editor for Copy. If it Were not for Him the Paper would Look pretty Well every Morning. Everything would be Fat, and none of the Live Ads would be Left out.

Beaten by Chicago.

A toledo commerical traveler who has been opening up a new route in Indiana encountered one dealer who didn't think he had better change his custom. He had been dealing with a Chicago house for several years, and he had no fault to find.

"I can make you brooms for $— per dozen," urged the Toledoan.

"Yes, but Chicago beats that."

"How's — cents a pound for starch?"

"Oh, Chicago beats that."

"I'll sell you good tea by the chest for — cents."

"That's purty fair, but Chicago beats that."

"Our house will give you four months' credit."

"Chicago's ahead of that."

The traveler couldn't mention a thing that Chicago didn't beat, and at last, despairing of receiving an order, he remarked:

"I did think of stopping over Sunday and going to church, but it seems—"

"Oh, it's no use in trying that on," interrupted the dealer. "The agent of a Chicago house has been running our choir over a year past, and a Cincinnati house has already agreed to send us on a Sunday-school library! Maybe you can do something in the next town, but we're chuck full here and wouldn't touch a Toledo house unless it promised us a twenty acre lot for a new graveyard!"

A Cincinnatian's Trick.

A Cincinnati man went to St. Louis and advertised to teach telegraphy to a lady with reference to procuring her a situation; tuition, $25, on easy terms. He had several applications from shop girls, seamstresses, etc., and for some time continued it so that each one thought she was the one favored pupil who was earning the art and would get the situation. But after meeting each other on the stairs and about the building several times they grew suspicious and began to press him for that situation. Then he slid out with their money. He had long hair and big teeth, which the St. Louis papers say is their reason for thinking he came from Cincinnati; but he was so accomplished a talker that the women forgot how ugly he was.—*Free Press.*

WALT WHITMAN must have have a dreadful time at first to get the printers to set up his productions in the form of poetry.—*Lowell Citizen.*

WALKING SHOES for $1 00 at Barber & Baker's. April 15-d&wtf

Cold Sleeping Rooms.

Whatever our ancestors may have thought of cold sleeping rooms, we can not know. But we think that healthy sleeping rooms are those into which the sun can shine during several hours of the day, and from which vitiated airs can fully pass and pure air come in. We contend that cold sleeping rooms are more healthy than warm ones for all persons who possess the normal amount of health and power of resistance; warmth always increases the amount of exhalations from the lungs and emanations from the body. These two sources of vitiated air are always generating carbon gases at once unpleasant to the sense of men and deleterious to the healthy, if its per cent. is much larger than that which pure and normal air contain. And then hot air, and even warm, renders the mucous membrane of the respiratory organs tender and susceptible to the influences of "all the winds that blow." During the hours of day we need only a certain amount of outer warmth, depending upon the amount of heat we generate by consuming nutritious and easily digested food, and by inhaling a proper supply of pure air. To all intents and purposes air is food. The very act of mastication mingles air with all we eat. It aids the process of digestion and all other processes in the animal economy. The colder air may be the more oxygen it contains and the more vitality it imparts. A multitude of persons awake in morning hours without having had refreshing sleep, simply because they are compelled to breathe warm and vitiated air. Opening the windows and freely admitting the morning air, however cold it may be, removes the weariness induced by inhaling warm and vitiated air.

Either extremes of heat or cold, when we are asleep, may be harmful, but cold is much less apt to harm our health than warmth. Cold air is usually more pure and invigorating than warm. In warm seasons we feel weak and weary, and are right glad to feel waves of cold air coming. We, ourselves, always sleep with the fresh, outer air hastening into our dormitory all night long. Cold air, or night air, when we are awake or fast asleep, invigorates our frame and imparts strength of mind and activity of body. It increases our appetite and strengthens our digestive forces. Every one who wishes to improve in health should secure a large supply of cold air during his hours of sleep.

We do not take cold from exposure to freezing air, if that air be dry, but we do contract a cold by exposure to damp and chilly air. Our experience is, that sleeping in warm and unventilated rooms is uncomfortable and unhealthy. Any one may know that the exhalations from the lungs emanations from the body are never so copious as when we are in warm rooms. The cry against cold sleeping rooms should be expended upon damp and chilly ones. Dry and cold air is always healthy. We send persons far gone in consumption to Minnesota, because the air is cold and dry. —*Chicago Express.*

Drunkenness in Germany.

For many centuries past the children of Teutons have endured with placid equanimity the scoffs and jeers of their neighbors, whether of Latin or Slavonic extraction, aimed at their beer drinking proclivities, for they were hitherto comfortably convinced that the assiduous consumption of malt liquors was by no means incompatible with a high standard of national sobriety. On the other hand, among Continental critics of British manners and customs none have so persistently denounced the practices of tippling and dram drinking, as vices peculiar to the natives of these isles, than have German writers, grave as well as gay. The gin absorbing capacities of English operatives have aroused the righteous wrath of many a Teutonic journalist, in whose comments upon his own countrymen's amazing feats in the way of swallowing seven or eight gallons of ale at a sitting, his readers might in vain search for any expression of condemnation. It would appear, however, that whether or not the Germans of times past were justified by facts in laying claim to a conspicuously sober people, the Germans of to-day are unquestionably open to the same reproach that they have been accustomed to lavish in such profusion upon the Englishmen. We learn from Berlin that so enormous has been the increase of "excessive drunkenness" within the last few years that the Imperial Chancellor has just submitted to the Federal Council a bill devised by him for the repression of a habit which "has become a national scandal." Hard times and cheap spirits are terrible promoters of inebriety, and it is more than probable that the severe trials though which German agriculture, commerce and industry have recently passed, and the low prices at which corn and potato brandy are purchasable throughout the Fatherland, may have brought about the deplorable prevalence of drunkenness with which Prince Bismarck proposes to grapple by exceptional legislation.—*New York Herald.*

New England Churches.

About the year 1700, the meeting-houses in New England were plain wooden structures in most cases without steeples. The windows were glazed with diamond shaped glass, the walls unplastered, and the interior without any means of heating. Through the storms of winter the congregation shivered in the cold during public worship. About a hundred and fifty years ago, in the interior of one of these rough edifices could be seen the families of New England. The men were dressed in the fashion of the age. They wore broad-brimmed hats, turned up into three corners, with loops at the side, long coats, with large pockets and cuffs, and without collars; the buttons either plated or pure silver, and of the size of half a dollar, shirts with bosom and wrist ruffles, and with gold and silver buckles at the wrist united by a link; the neckcloths of fine linen, or figured stuff, embroidered with the ends hanging loosely. Small clothes were in fashion, and only reached to the knee, where they were ornamented with silver buckles of large size, the legs were covered with long gray stockings; the boots had broad tops, with tassels; shoes were some worn, ornamented with straps and silver buckles. The women had black silk or satin bonnets, gowns extremely short-waisted, with tight sleeves, or else very short sleeves, with an immense frill at the elbow. The ministers wore large gowns and powdered wigs.

MOLTKE was 64 when he won his first battle, yet there are those who urge Gen. Sherman's retirement at 62.

IT is a singular fact that one of the earliest English theaters had a monk, Geofrey, for its manager.

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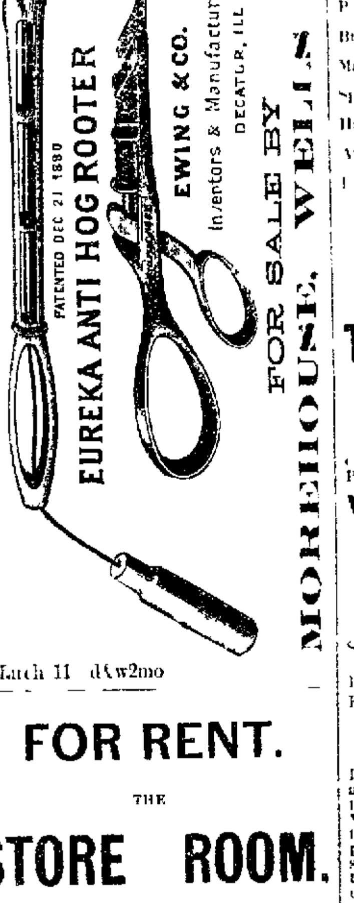

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Dated this 25th day of March A D 1882

March 25—dtd G P HARDY, City Clerk.

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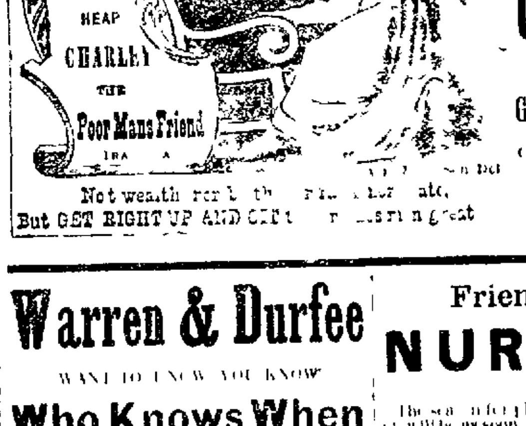

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to May term A D 1882

Frederick Aholtz vs George W Lyon Mary Lyon Edward O Smith Isaac V Goltra John Alison and Catharine Alison In chancery.

Affidavit of non residence in the state of Illinois of Edward O Smith one of the defendants in the above cause having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Clerk of Macon county, Illinois notice is hereby given to the said Edward O Smith that the said complainant has filed his bill of complaint in the said court on the chancery side thereof and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against you the said Edward O Smith one of the above named defendants returnable on the first day of the May term, 1882 of the circuit court of said Macon county to be held in the court house in the city of Decatur on the second Monday in the month of May 1882 as is by law required, and which suit is still pending in said court.

T McCLELLAN Clerk

H PASCO
Complainant's Solicitor mar29-d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court May Term A D 1882

Harrison S Baker vs Nicholas Laux, Bridget Laux, Samuel Anderson, Edward Harpstrite Henry Shlaudeman Jonathan Edwards the Equitable Trust Company of New London Connecticut Philip Miller and George Trunk house —Mechanic's Lien

Affidavit of the non residence of Jonathan Edwards and the Equitable Trust Company of New London Connecticut, two of above named defendants having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon County notice is hereby given to the said non residents that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants returnable at the court house in Decatur in said county on the second Monday of May next (1882) as is by law required, which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court

F McCLELLAN Clerk

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The Daily Republican.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 17, 1882.

S. K. HAMSHER. J. R. MOSSER.
HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs.
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

DOES THE MAYOR HOLD OVER?

It is unfortunate that the question of holding an election for a full line of city officers should have been sprung at this time. The general incorporation act, which was adopted by our city at the special election held last April, is undoubtedly obscure as to the matter of setting its provisions in motion in cases where a change is made from a special charter to the general law, and there have been numberless disputes throughout the state arising from circumstances such as we are placed in just now. We do not call to mind, however, a single instance in which the courts have held that vacancies were created in general city offices by the adoption of the general charter, except when the change occurred at the time fixed by the terms of the latter for electing the officers in question. The city of Springfield furnishes a case in point just now. At the recent municipal election the voters of the city decided by a large majority to reorganize under the general law, and on the same day elected a full complement of officers as provided for by their special charter. The mayor (McCreery) was a candidate for re-election, and was defeated by a small majority, but is holding over under the advice of a no less eminent lawyer than ex-Gov. Palmer. The case has gone into the courts, and there is every prospect that it will drag its slow length along for the next twelve months, obstructing business of all kinds, and casting a cloud of uncertainty over every act of the city government. The question is, therefore, whether the city of Decatur can afford to try an experiment that can only result in turmoil and litigation.

The advocates of the scheme to elect officers to-morrow point to the opinion of Attorney General McCartney, which is given elsewhere in to-day's paper, as proof of the soundness of their position. It may be remarked that we have no means of knowing what statement of facts was presented to the attorney general upon which he based his opinion, and that therefore that opinion should have no more weight than the opinion of any other lawyer who knows nothing about the case. We have before us a letter written by the same officer in June, 1881, upon the question of holding an election in November for certain county officers, whose terms—as was alleged—were extended by an act of the legislature in violation of section 28, article 4, of the constitution—the same section which is quoted by the advocates of a new city election. Taking this section for a text Mr. McCartney, in the letter before us, argues against the holding over of the officers in question, and in favor of a new election—whether the proper authorities call one or not. It is sufficient comment upon this argument to observe that when a case was brought before the supreme court to test the question, that tribunal differed with Mr. McCartney, holding that no election could be held, and, as everybody knows, these officers are "holding over" to-day, and will continue to do so until their successors are chosen in November next—the time fixed by the constitutional amendment which was adopted by vote of the people. The case of our city officers is analogous in every respect. In that of the county officers the legislature did not extend their terms, but the people themselves did so by the highest exercise of their sovereign power, expressed through the ballot. In the case of our municipal officers the people likewise voted to adopt the general charter, the provisions of which do not contemplate an election for mayor and general officers until the third Tuesday of April, 1883.

The Mayor Business.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Enclosed is a telegram from the Attorney General of the State, giving his opinion as to the Mayor of this city holding over:

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 16, 1882.
To D. L. Barr, Decatur:
Letter just received. Mayor does not hold over. Should be elected under general law. JAMES MCCARTNEY.

The sections of law referred to are sections 133 and 134 of the general election laws, revised statutes.

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NEW LACES, Embroideries, Lace Neckwear, Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Hosiery and Corsets, at the CHEAP STORE.
Big 18. april1-d&w1w

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

Remarkable.
Linn & Scruggs have furnished with carpets nearly every new house in Decatur within the last five years—and sold more carpets last year than was ever sold in Decatur in one year.
Feb. 14—d&wtf

A Card From Dr. Curtis.

DECATUR, ILL., APRIL 17, 1882.

EDS. REPUBLICAN:—I see by the *Review* of this morning that Bro. C. A. Masterson takes greatly at heart my signing the petition for W. J. Quinlan to become a candidate for alderman in the second ward. When the petition was presented to me I had been informed that Bro. Masterson had resigned, and believing Mr. Quinlan would make a good alderman, and having been born a free American citizen, I signed the petition. Now, as to Masterson believing what he says he does about me, I know is not true—for I have always believed him to be an honest man and a good friend of mine, and no one in this community or on the face of the earth or in heaven above, who was not a *vile and degraded villain himself*, ever harbored the thought that the charges made against me for political reasons alone were true, or ever believed I was guilty of the said charges thus made. A man should not however, become so completely excited in regard to so trifling an affair as to deliberately slander his *neighbor and best friend*. I know it is quite too common for men in this free land of ours to try and politically assassinate a man, and it is looked upon with a great deal of allowance, but still it is not right. Now, if Bro. Masterson will go to his closet and on bended knees pray a good deal and ask of "Him who giveth all things" for help, he will find consolation and balm in Gilead sufficient to bind up and heal this *mortal* wound inflicted by me in signing a petition for a good citizen and christian gentleman to become a candidate for alderman. With continued brotherly love toward Bro. Masterson, I am his till death.

IRA B. CURTIS.

Means to be President.

Mr. Arthur recently said to Congressman Bayne, of Pennsylvania, with some positiveness of manner: "You must remember, sir, that while you are the one that recommends, I am the person who appoints, and am the one upon whom the responsibility for the appointment must rest. There seems to be a feeling among members of Congress that each one must establish himself a sort of Deputy President, and control with arbitrary hand all appointments in their respective districts. I have humored this tendency for a time, but now such foolishness must stop. I have been influenced in making my appointments by Senators and Representatives so far. The result of this is, I have made some very unsatisfactory nominations. Hereafter I shall be guided by my own judgment in the cases. When I am asked to select new men for places, I shall only take the recommendations of a Congressman the same as from other leading public men."

THE emigration from all the Irish ports in the year 1881 was less than that of 1880 by 17,138, the total for 1881 having been 78,719. All except 102 of these 78,719 were natives of Ireland. Leinster furnished 16,232 of them, Munster 21,752, Ulster 24,101, and Connaught 16,332. Since 1851 the total emigration has been 2,715,604, the yearly number having fluctuated from 190,322 in 1852 to 37,587 in 1876. Of those who went away last year, 78.4 per cent. went to the United States, and 10,683 to Great Britain. About 64 per cent. of the total were classed as laborers, and only 6 per cent. as farmers.

THE labor strike at Omaha has induced the Union Pacific road to consider the question and advisability of breaking up their establishment there, and locating parts of their shops at other points along the line. They give as a reason that the policy of concentrating large masses of men at one point, always leads to strikes and combinations that occur just at the time when the company can ill afford to have them succeed. They hope to counteract the evil by making smaller shops and having more of them. There is great excitement in Omaha in consequence.

THE April crop report will show that we had 138,000,000 bushels less wheat to report from the crop of 1881 than from that of 1880; that our real surplus is already more than exhausted; that what we export from now until August must be a squeezing of the sponge; that the fact that the ocean steamers are paying a premium on wheat to use as ballast, shows the export stock to be exhausted; that the present probabilities of wheat in the states are better than a year ago, but not so good as two years ago, and that prices are likely to remain firm, even after harvest.

THE question of the removal of the Capital of Kentucky continues to agitate the public and legislative mind of that State. It is to be taken from Frankfort; the choice of location lies between Louisville and Lexington. The latter is the more central place, and on that account is to be preferred. Lonisville, as the vote on the $1,000,000 proposition shows, is indifferent, and aside from the liberal donation which it offers the State, presents no advantages over Lexington, while geographically it is positively objectionable.

A WILD rumor comes from Washington that Secretary Lincoln is to be asked to step down and out to make room for some one else, and that he has been promised the aid of the administration to step into Judge David Davis' place. Mr. Lincoln seems to have the happy faculty of minding his own business, and that to an unusual degree. He has endeared himself to the whole nation by refraining from gush, and showing that he is a sensible man.

Agents Can Make
$5 to $10 a day selling our "Ironing Board and Plaiter Combined." No capital required, and quick sales. We want agents in every town in the United States.
J. T. HAND & Co's.
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THERE are no departments in dry goods which deserve more consideration from ladies than Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, and it will surprise those who would walk five blocks to save 1 cent a yard on calico, when we assure them that many of these articles are retailed from 25 to 40 per cent *higher* than we sell them.
feb13-d&wtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Rumors Come Thick as Usual.

News From the Jeannette Survivors.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—Several members of the committee think they will not longer permit Shipherd to do all the talking, but will direct the examination themselves and arraign him before the house if he is contumacious.

About a dozen members of the republican national committee met to-day, and after discussion unanimously favored republicans of the south uniting with liberal democrats, who will work with more enlightened political sentiment for free ballot and fair count and oppose Bourbon democracy. A resolution was adopted for a meeting of the committee on the fourth Wednesday in January, 1883, and directing that the special committee appointed in 1881 then report a plan for giving congressional districts representation in the next national convention.

F. W. Moffatt, paying teller of the treasury cash room, has been dismissed.

The house committee on territories instructed Grout to move to suspend the rules on Monday and pass the bill establishing the territory of North Dakota.

At Shipherd's examination a note was read from Blaine, stating he desired to be heard in reference to Chilian matters.

Representative Lord then took up the cross-examination of witness, and examined him closely as to his doings with Hurlbut.

Witness first joined the company in March, 1881; became its counsel, and in October the present company was formed; no minister of the United States, or congressmen, ever owned any interest in the claim; he agreed to give in confidence to the committee the names of two New Yorkers who personally know of Hurlbut's intimacy with Suarez.

The investigation was postponed till Tuesday.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Mr. Donnell, the financial agent of St. Joseph who is in this city, received a telegram yesterday from Mayor Posegate of that place, asking him to deliver the following dispatch to Geo. M. Irwin, who, with William Scott, was confined in the Tombs for attempting to sell stolen bonds:

I have told all I know about it and you do the same.

JOHN COX.

City Marshal Rich, of St. Joseph, who was preparing to start west with the prisoners, immediately took the dispatch to the Tombs and showed it to Irwin, who thereupon made a full confession. He said the bonds were given to Scott and himself to bring on here and sell by City Assessor Enos Crowthers and John Cox, a clerk for John C. Bender, the employer of Irwin, and the proceeds of the sale were to be divided between them. The vault was entered by means of false keys about three weeks ago by Crowthers, and the bonds abstracted.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Mrs. Scoville's petition for the appointment of a conservator of the estate of Guiteau came up in the county court this morning. Judge Loomis said that in view of the recent decision of the supreme court of the state there was some uncertainty about the jurisdiction of his court in probate matters. He advised to let the matter rest till the doubt was settled, or take the case to the probate court, which unquestionably had jurisdiction in probate cases. Counsel stated that he would rather have the court refuse to hear the petition; he would then appeal to the supreme court direct. This, accordingly was done. Before reaching the state supreme court the case must go through the appellate court, and this will require some six weeks, as the court is not now in session and there are other cases ahead of it. Mrs. Scoville appeared in court in person to-day.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 15.—The anniversary of the death of Abraham Lincoln was appropriately observed this afternoon at the national Lincoln monument, under the auspices of the Lincoln Guard of Honor. A select quartette rendered the song "In Memoriam, Abraham Lincoln," and addresses were delivered by Gov. Cullom and United States District Attorney James A. Connoly. J. C. Powers, the custodian of the national Lincoln monument, read extracts from the speeches and writings of Lincoln, and Mrs. E. S. Johnson reiterated a most appropriate selection. Most of the members of the Legislature were present, and the crowd of citizens was so large that many were unable to get within hearing of the speakers' voices.

CHICAGO, April 15.—A special from Dubuque says: The spring freshet is coming down the Mississippi; all low lands are flooded and the water only six inches below last spring's high water. The river is rising at the rate of six inches every 24 hours. The Wisconsin river is falling, but the St. Croix and Black rivers and Mississippi tributaries above St. Paul are much swollen. Families are moving to high grounds. River men are of the opinion, however, that last year's high water will not be reached.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The President has notified General Fitz John Porter, in answer to his petition for relief from the sentence of the court martial, that he can do nothing in his case, as it is entirely beyond his power. This action is based upon an opinion by Attorney General Brewster, and received the unanimous concurrence of the Cabinet.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—The *Call* to morrow will publish a letter from Dr. H. C. Ledyard, an American now in Siberia, to a friend in this city. At Irkoutsk Ledyard met Lieut. Dannenhauer who gave him interesting details of the loss of the Jeannette, from which the following extracts are made: Since the first fall, when they were caught by the ice in trying to reach "Herald" Island, they never took a course, but were held as in the jaws of death, squeezed till every timber quivered, turned this way and that, thrown, floating and then caught again, and every hour in suspense, never knowing when the ice would close upon them a little more and the deck would have sunk beneath them. Throughout this strain they were well and trying to be cheerful, working very hard, for with the engine and men they were barely able to keep the water out. They had to pump for a year and a half. On June 11, 1881, the crisis came. The ship showed greater straining than before, the deck quivered, and inexplicable movements warned them. They prepared their boats and made their camp beside the vessel. She rose and turned in her cradle till the yards touched the ice; then the rigging gave way and the masts lay prostrate. At 4 o'clock in the morning the floe parted and all went down. A cry of alarm called all to escape from the crevice in the ice. It opened just through the captain's tent, and then began the retreat. For twenty-nine days they struggled southward, and 300 miles of broken ice were thus passed over. Four miles a day was thought to be good speed. After one of a series of fourteen days they were twenty-seven miles further north than at first. While walking over the ice dragging three boats, they discovered Bennett Island, to explore which they spent three weeks of their precious summer days and expended much of their limited supply of food. To this detour those who survived attribute much of their suffering and the death of the commander with nineteen men. After three months of this perilous and exhausting work they came to blue water, and then, with fair winds, took a course for the mouth of the Lena river. Melville's boat was stove against a block of ice. The captain's boat lost her mast and sail. The captain landed with all well, but abandoned the boat as the water was shallow and they could not make the channel of the river.

WASHINGTON, April 15.—The Democrats of the house are inclined to laugh at the programme laid down by the Republicans at last night's caucus, especially that part which proposes a summary disposition of the election cases on the assumption that only ordinary opposition will be offered by the Democrats to the unseating of members of their party faith. Judging from the only half-expressed threats of leading Democrats, the attempt to act upon the findings of the elections committee in contested cases will be met by an opposition which will include all the resources of parliamentary fighting. In other words, the Democrats will filibuster and oppose the unseating of their friends at every step. The Republicans are not ignorant of this disposition on the part of the Democrats, and are preparing for the contest by gathering their forces and calling in all absentees. One member of each state delegation sending more than a single representative to congress has been selected and charged with the duty of bringing in the absentees in his delegation. By these means the Republicans expect to have their full strength on hand to work with. Such bills as that to reorganize the navy and to admit Dakota as a state will be opposed to the last by the Democrats, and the latter are inclined to believe they will be able to block any Republican measures outside of the appropriation bills, which are especially repugnant to their views.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The appointment of Mr. Chandler to the naval portfolio has developed an interesting phase of Washington social life, which sets gossips agog with speculation. It will be remembered that when J. Wilkes Booth was shot the picture of a beautiful young lady, a reigning society belle, was found on his person. The original of this portrait was recognized in the person of Miss Hale, the daughter of a leading politician and statesman, and a lady of whom Booth had become deeply and seriously enamored. What encouragement he had received was not precisely known, but there was enough between them to form the basis of a good many romances, which afterwards appeared in the public press. Miss Hale afterwards became Mrs. Chandler, and is now the wife of the Secretary of the Navy. The same whirligig of time which has brought this about has also made the then young son of the martyred Lincoln Secretary of War. It now appears that, according to etiquette, it is the duty of the Secretary of War to escort the wife of his confrere in rank to dinner. On state occasions he must take the wife of the Secretary of the Navy. Secretary Lincoln, in short, must escort the one-time sweetheart of the assassin of his distinguished father. Therefore, society is shocked.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 16.—Neither house of the general assembly presented a quorum yesterday. In the senate only two Democrats appeared—Senators Merritt, of Marion, and Kelly, of Adams. Mr. Merritt took the floor after the minutes had been read and bewailed over the fact that his Democratic friends had deserted the ship and moved that search warrants be issued at once and placed in the hands of the sergeant-at-arms, with instructions to search up and down the state for Democratic members of the senate and bring them in dead or alive. The motion did not prevail, and the senate adjourned until Monday evening at 5 o'clock.

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

DES MOINES, IA., April 15.—R. W. Stubbs was murdered at 3 o'clock this morning by a burglar. His wife was awakened by the noise made by the assassin; she aroused Mr. Stubbs and called "what do you want," then his murderer exclaimed, "lie down," then fired, the ball entering the left breast below the nipple. Stubbs sprang from his bed and followed the murderer as far as the door, where he fell and expired. The object was burglary.

CHICAGO, April 15.—Ex-Gov. Burbanks, of Dakota, now postoffice inspector there, was one of a dozen passengers in the stage which was robbed by the James gang near Hot Springs, Ark., eight years ago. He was robbed of a gold watch and chain and diamond pin worth $900. He has received information from Marshal Craig, at St. Joe, Mo., that his property was found among the effects of the late Jesse James, and will be returned to him.

KANSAS CITY, April 15.—Dorsey passed through the city this morning en route to Washington to attend trial in star route cases.

PEOPLE are made happy by buying their Clothing of CHEAP CHARLEY.

A limited number of tickets of admission to the popular Fry Concert Troupe Entertainment to-morrow evening, to be had at Liddle's.

NOTICE.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that he will make application to the city council at its next regular meeting, May 1st, 1882, for a license to retail spirituous liquors in a house situated on the north half of Lot six (6), Block ten (10), Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s Addition to the city of Decatur, said building being owned by me. T. O'CONNOR.
April 15—d2w*

BUILDING PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received till two o'clock P. M., May 1st, 1882, at the County Clerk's office, Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, for the erection of a County Almshouse according to drawings and specifications in hand of I. Baldwin at J. G. Sturr & Son's store, Dtcatur. Proposals will be made for the whole work complete, or for the following parts of the work separately: Stone, brick work, excavation and sewers, carpenter's material and labor, tin work and plumbing, painting. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. J. N. HOYT,
A. P. HILL,
HIRAM WARD,
C. A. TURNER,
H. C. MOWRY,
JAS. FREEMAN,
April 15—d&wtd Building Committee County Board.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of The People of the State of Illinois and against Elizabeth A. Davis, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The north one hundred and ten (110) feet of lot No. eleven (11), in block No. nine (9), in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, Macon county and State of Illinois. Taken as property of the said Elizabeth A. Davis, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1882, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 14th day of April, A. D. 1882.
WM. W. FOSTER,
April 15-d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of The People of the State of Illinois and against Henry Holmes, principal, and Hugh Crea, security, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The north one hundred and ten (110) feet of lot No. eleven (11), in block No. nine (9), in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, Macon county and State of Illinois. Taken as property of the said Henry Holmes, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the fifth day of May, A. D. 1882, at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 14th day of April, A. D. 1882.
WM. W. FOSTER,
April 15-d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

OPERA HOUSE
Monday Eve., April 17.
The Towering Amusement Element!
GEO. H. ADAMS'
OWN NEW
HUMPTY DUMPTY TROUPE
Under the management of

ADAM FOREPAUGH.
NEW SPECIALTIES! NEW SCENERY!
NEW TRICKS! NEW DRESSES!
NEW MUSIC!
MILITARY BAND AND ORCHESTRA!
See all bills for full particulars.
Prices, 35, 50 and 75 cents. Seats secured at Curtis & Co.'s without extra charge.
April 12—dtd J. H. LAINE, Gen'l Agent.

OPERA HOUSE.
Wednesday, April 19.
The Famous International Dramatic Stars,
MR. AND MRS.
GEO. S. KNIGHT
Supported by their
Magnificent Company,
Under the management of Fred. G. and B. G. Berger, in Bronson Howard's Latest Success,
"BARON RUDOLPH"
"A Character Born to Live."
POPULAR PRICES.
Admission, 35 and 50 cents; reserved seats, 75 cts., now on sale at Curtis & Co.'s.
April 13-dtd

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,

Kittie Capito vs. Charles Capito—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Charles Capito, defendant above-named, and that upon diligent inquiry his place of residence cannot be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Charles Capito that the above-named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendant, returnable on the first day of the May Term, A. D. 1882, of the Circuit Court of the said Macon county, to be held in the Court House, in the City of Decatur, in said county, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending. E. MCCLELLAN, Clerk.
JOSIAH M. CLOKEY, Complainant's Solicitor.
March 27-d4w

Maffit Ice.
Leave orders for D. A. Maffit's Crystal Ice at S. T. Keeler's hat store, No. 20, East Main street. All orders for large or small quantities promptly filled.
April 5-d1m

$3.00
Is all we ask for a very handsome *Spring Jacket*, nearly or about seven-eighths wool. Our word for it—and our word is as good as that of any merchant in Decatur—they are the best value ever offered here. CHEAP STORE,
Big 18. Sol. Moritz & Co.
12-d&w1w

Horses Wanted.
E. B. Pratt will buy good double or single driving teams, express and draft horses, for the eastern market, from now till April 26th, at his place of business 37 North Church street, Decatur, Ill.
April 13-d&w2w

Wanted.
A good girl to do housework. Apply to Mrs. J. W. Race, West Main street.
April 14—d1w

CHOICE fresh roasted coffee, of the very best quality, at Peter Ullrich's.

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance. No trade advertisements inserted in this column.]

TO EXCHANGE a house and lot in Chillicothe, Mo., for residence property in this city, or in Maros, Macon, Blue Mound or Niantic, and must be worth not less than $1,000. Address HENRY MITCHELL, No. 11 North Water street, Decatur, Illinois. april7-d6t w1*

FOR SALE—Good house, barn and four lots, all well fenced, in the northeast part of the city. Price $1300, on easy terms.
April 15-d6t JOHN A. BROWN.

FOR SALE—CHEAP—A delivery wagon.—Enquire at Abel & Locke's Carpet and Wall Paper House, 24 East Main street. april4d6t

FOR SALE—A brick residence on East Eldorado street, corner lot, house five rooms, cellar, well and cistern. Can give possession 30 days after sale. Terms reasonable.
Inquire of HENRY MITCHELL,
April 14—d6t* No. 11 North Water St.

FOR RENT—A furnished sleeping room for one or two gentlemen at No. 43 North College street. Also a stable for rent. Apply on the premises. april2-d6t*

LOST—This day, a watch charm, in the shape of a valise. Finder will please return to Chas. M. Caldwell. april1-d6.

WANTED, a girl to do general housework. Call at residence of Silas Packard, corner North and North Main streets. 11-d6*

J. D. HALLECK, artistic painter, paper hanger and decorator is still before the public. His long experience qualifies him especially for work in this line. Leave orders with Linn and Scruggs or Roach, McReynolds & Co. april1-d1w

WE HAVE a strip of land fronting on Wood and Monroe streets, formerly known as the Nale property, which we will sell in lots of 40 by 160 feet.
april1d1w* GORIN & BILLS.

SAND—I have the best building and plastering sand in the city. All orders left at Joseph Michl's, Mills & Harry's, or at the brewery, will be promptly attended to. Sand bank on South Broadway.
March 30—d&wtf EDWARD FRANCIS.

REAL ESTATE OFFICE of Kaufman & Randolph, over Decatur National Bank. Parties wanting to buy or sell property will do well to call on the above. 7—d2

MADE GOOD AS NEW!—Old Clothes Wringers repaired with new rollers, at
April 5—d4w LIDDLE'S.

WE have property all over the city for sale. Also lots from $175 to $2,000 each.
7-2d KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

SOME very desirable lots on West William street, as nice as can be found in the city, suitable for fine residences.
7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

NICE high, dry dwelling lots,—six blocks from old square—good shade, excellent drainage, lots 60 by 150, and stable lots across alley in addition 30x70; cheap. Also in same locality lots 50 feet, fronting on good street.
7-d2 KAUFMAN & RANDOLPH.

RUBBER STAMPS—Indelible Ink for marking clothing. Rubber Stamps made to order on short notice. Call at Leo Ehert's confectionery and see samples.
April 5—d2w* GEO. E. ALBIETZ.

FOR SALE—A good two-story house near Shellabarger's mill, seven rooms, and good stable. Will sell very cheap for cash. Apply to W. H. Reeme, North Water street.
April 1—d1mo

CHEAP LOTS.—For sale to parties intending to build. Apply to MONTGOMERY & SHUTT, Powers' Block. mar1dtf

FOR RENT—Rooms on second floor over "Fleury's," now occupied as "Dress-making Parlors." J. M. CLOKEY.
Feb. 18—dtf

FURNITURE
Selected from the
Best Manufactories.
Parlor Suits,
YOU Bed Room Sets
Easy Chairs,
Sewing Chairs,
Patent Rockers,
Mirrors, CAN
Dining Room Outfits,
Bed Lounges,
Spring Beds,
Mattresses,
Pillows,
SAVE All Fresh,
New Goods,
Bought for Cash,
To be sold at a
Very Small Profit.
Rogers' Silverware,
40 Styles Lamps, MONEY
Glassware,
Queensware,
Bird Cages,
AT Cooking Stoves,
Quick Bakers,
Gasoline Stoves,
Kitchen Outfits,
Refrigerators, LIDDLE'S
Cream Freezers,
20 Styles of
Baby Carriages,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Everything you want for Housekeeping, at Lower Prices than ever.

Goods Carefully Packed and Shipped without Extra Charge.

You are respectfully requested to call and see the Goods on sale in the Four Large Store Rooms in Court House Block.

R. LIDDLE.
March 16—d&w

WE COME TO STAY.

SIDDALL & CO.,
—Dealers in—
Fine Groceries.
We shall keep constantly on hand a full line of
Teas, Coffees, Sugars,
SPICES, CANNED GOODS, FRUITS and VEGETABLES. Our goods are all fresh, clean, and of the very best quality. All goods guaranteed as represented, or money cheerfully refunded. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.
SIDDALL & CO.,
Red Front, 106 Merchant St.
March 29—d&wtf

"The Spring Time's Come, Gentle Annie."
We've Got Them!
—AND—
STILL GETTING THEM.
SILKS,
Satins, Mories, Marvalieux,
Rhadames, Satin De Leons,
Beautiful White Dress Goods,
Laces, Embroideries,
Elegant Spring Dress Goods,
Shawls, Wraps,
Parasols, Fans,
And Thousands of Pretty Things.
F. L. HAYS & CO.
April 8 d&wtf

We carry the Largest Assortment of
WATCHES,
CLOCKS.
JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,
And NOVELTIES in our line in Decatur. Our stock this spring is very large, and embraces many Styles found nowhere else in this city.
OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST
And all Goods sold will be
Guaranteed Just as Represented.
Do not buy anything in our line until you have seen our stock and learned our prices.
W. R. ABBOTT & Co.
DECATUR'S RELIABLE JEWELERS.
Oct. 20, 1881—d&w3mo

HATS! HATS!
SHIRTS.
STETSON'S HATS a Specialty
KEELER.
March 10, 1882 dtf

JOHN IRWIN'S
CLOTHING
IS PERFECT IN FIT,
UNEXCELLED IN STYLE,
MODERATE IN PRICE,
AND ENTIRELY NEW.
—HE KEEPS—
MEN'S CLOTHES,
YOUTHS' CLOTHES,
BOYS' CLOTHES.
And mothers will rejoice when they see his fine line of
CHILDREN'S KILT SUITS.
He also has a full line of
HATS,
GLOVES, RUBBER GOODS, TRUNKS and SATCHELS, and the finest line of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS in the State outside of Chicago.
March 23-d&wtf

DRY GOODS,
&c., &c., &c.
This space is reserved for the
BIG 18 CHEAP STORE.
SOL. MORITZ & CO.

CLOCKS

— AND —

SILVERWARE

CHEAP FOR A FEW DAYS.

We are about to REFIT OUR ENTIRE STORE. New Wall Cases will be put in on both sides, in order to give us a great deal more show case room than we now have.

Our new Cases will be ready April 15th; our old ones are sold and part of them shipped. We have either to sell off all CLOCKS and SILVERWARE, or else pile them up in the back room for three weeks.

We therefore will offer a discount of 10 per cent from the price of ALL CLOCKS, CASTERS, ICE PITCHERS, CAKE BASKETS, TEA SETS and all kinds of SILVERWARE bought of us between now and April 15th, 1882.

This 10 per cent discount will be given off from prices already lower than can be found in Decatur. If you think of getting a Clock, or any article of Silverware soon, it will pay you to buy now.

When our store is completed, we will be better able to display lots of goods we have been obliged to keep in drawers and the safe, and intend to enlarge our already large variety of goods.

Yours Respectfully,

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,

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March 30 d&wtf

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MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 17, 1882.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE are authorized to announce EDWARD P. VAIL as a candidate for city attorney.

WE are authorized to announce V. H. PARKE as a candidate for alderman in the second ward.

WE are authorized to announce MARTIN P. MURPHEY as an anti-license candidate for alderman in the third ward.

WE are authorized to announce WM. H. BRAMBLE as a candidate for re-election as alderman in the third ward.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM J. QUINLAN as a candidate for alderman in the second ward.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM SCHROLL as a candidate for alderman in the third ward.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY SHLAUDEMAN as a candidate for alderman in the fourth ward.

WE are authorized to announce DAVID HUTCHISON as a candidate for city attorney.

WE are authorized to announce WM. S. NICHOLSON a candidate for Alderman in the Fifth Ward, at the ensuing city election.

WE are authorized to announce A. W. HARDY as a candidate for re-election as alderman of the fourth ward.

WE are authorized to announce JOS. MILLS as a candidate for alderman in the first ward.

WE are authorized to announce EDWARD JAMISON as a candidate for alderman in the first ward.

WE are authorized to announce THOMAS DOYLE as a candidate for alderman in the first ward.

AN elegant line of Easter Goods just received, at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

GIVE the Palace hotel a trial.

FUN—Humpty Dumpty—to-night.

THE polls to-morrow will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

FINE sewed boots for men at L. L. Ferris & Co.'s.

A MEETING of Neptune hose company will be held this evening.

THE Humpty Dumpty troupe is registered at the St. Nicholas hotel.

PATRONIZE the Fry concert to-morrow evening at the opera house.

HAMS, shoulders and breakfast bacon, at Siddall & Co.'s.

THERE was a brilliant free exhibition in the northern sky last night, which was seen and admired by scores of people.

ALL desiring their pianos moved this spring will leave their orders at Prescott's. He has the best trucks and careful men.

STYLISH trimmer and designer, at Miss A. MILLER'S, opposite postoffice.
April 15 d3d

SCHROEDER'S famous Bohemian cigars take the lead; sold by all first-class dealers.

THE admission to the benevolent concert to-morrow night will be 50 cents; reserved seats 25 cents extra.

RAILWAY tickets to St. Louis and Chicago at reduced rates. Call on W. C. Bullard, west side of old square. 11-d1w*

THE popular music parlor of C. B. Prescott, in opera block, is the place to go for fine pianos and organs.

PURCHASE a ticket for the Fry concert to-morrow night. The entertainment was announced in the churches on yesterday.

HAVE you seen those lovely lace curtains at Abel & Locke's carpet store? They are darlings.

ON Sunday Bishop Seymour administered confirmation to about twelve converts to the Episcopal faith at St. John's Church.

THE closing hymn after the temperance lecture by the pastor at Stapp's Chapel last evening, was, "Work for the Night is Coming."

MR. MITCHELL, the decorator with Abel & Locke, has just fitted up Wood Bros.' ice cream and restaurant parlor in fine style.

A FRESH lot of hats and new dresses blossomed yesterday. Ladies with new dresses wore no wraps, and ladies without new dresses wore cloaks or dolmans.

JUST received, a handsome line of baby robes, baby dresses and corset covers, at Mrs. K. Einstein's, No. 28 East Main st. Call and see them. apr17 dtf

THE members of the colored drum corps will have a benefit festival at the Rifles' Armory this evening. The public in general, and the candidates in particular, are invited to be present.

THE sentiment of the voters of Decatur on the license question will be again expressed at the polls to-morrow. The interest in the contest is general, and there will no doubt be a full vote in each ward.

THE three street railway cars are receiving their spring coat of paint, under the direction of President Priest. The O. W. decorator is the well known knight of the brush, Joe Ehrhart.

IN spite of all reports to the contrary, the earnings of the Wabash system are on the increase, and show for the month of March $335,492, against $256,422 for the corresponding month last year, or an increase of $79,070.

THERE will be "a night before the battle" temperance rally at the tabernacle this evening. The speaker will be Capt. J. S. Lothrop, of Champaign. He is a lively off-hand speaker and will deliver an entertaining talk.

A FESTIVAL will be given in the armory of the Decatur Rifles on Monday evening, April 17th, for the benefit of the Decatur colored brass band, and the public generally is invited to patronize it.—Give the new band substantial encouragement. apr6 dtd

"FAITH" was the subject of Rev. Taylor's discourse at the Baptist church on Sunday forenoon, before a large congregation. The sermon was logically and thoughtfully presented and engaged undivided attention.

AGENT SPITLER requests us to state that the Illinois Midland railway is running local trains on both the eastern and western divisions of the road. Trains make regular trips between Decatur and Farmdale, and freight and passengers will be carried over the line promptly.

THE ladies of Decatur are now aware of the fact that Mrs. Einstein's emporium of fashion, at 28 East Main street, is the acknowledged headquarters for the most stylish millinery goods in the greatest variety, where also may be found all the very latest novelties in season, notion goods in profusion, ladies' readymade underwear and spring and summer hats and bonnets trimmed to order. Fashionable dressmaking and hat and bonnet trimming are among the specialties at Mrs. Einstein's popular establishment. Don't fail to call at No. 28 East Main street, see the goods and learn prices before purchasing elsewhere. apr4d&wtf

NO NOMINATIONS.

A Lively Discussion at the Tabernacle Between Capt. Post and Attorney Vail.

There was a fair turnout of the agitators and friends of the temperance cause at the tabernacle on Saturday evening to hear Mr. A. H. Mills' first public address on prohibition, and also to learn what action would be taken on the proposition to nominate a temperance candidate for mayor and other city officers. Mr. Mills spoke with much earnestness and quite logically for over an hour, and went for the whisky traffic and its evils from a variety of standpoints, winning considerable applause as he progressed. It was a carefully prepared effort, and its delivery displayed the fact that the young gentleman has given the question much earnest thought.

After a song by the choir the meeting organized for business by electing D. L. Bunn chairman, and P. W. Williams secretary. While the chairman was waiting for some one to make a motion quite a number of persons who had occupied chairs at the rear of the room came forward that they might have a better opportunity of hearing and seeing everything that might transpire.

The exercises opened by Capt. Post offering a motion that the mass convention proceed to nominate a temperance candidate for Mayor, and after the motion had received a second, Mr. E. P. Vail got the floor and proceeded to expound the law as he understood it on the all-important question. He said there was no provision in the general law adopted April 19, 1881, to warrant the temperance people in pursuing such an unwise course as was proposed. It could only prove a mistake and a blunder, causing divisions and litigation. The general law reads that a mayor, city clerk, treasurer and attorney shall be elected on the third Tuesday in April, 1877, and every two years thereafter, and therefore there is no provision for the election of these officers on an even year. The present incumbents hold over until their successors are duly elected and qualified, and the attempt to oust them in the manner proposed could only result in trouble among the people and in the courts; and the matter getting into the court could not be finally decided by the Supreme Court until its meeting in January, 1883—about time for another election. And for this reason and many others Mr. Vail was emphatically opposed to the adoption of the motion.

Capt. Post was the next person to be recognized by the chairman. The veteran lawyer began by stating that of course Mr. Vail was opposed to the motion. He was "in the ring," being one of the employed attorneys of the council, and had given his legal opinion on the question against calling an election for mayor and other officers. Then the captain declared that the present officers held their places illegally, having been legislated out of office by the adoption of the general incorporation law less than a year ago. In support of his argument the captain quoted the 28th section of Article 4 of the constitution of 1870, which reads: "No law shall be passed which shall operate to extend the term of any public officer after his election or appointment." This, the captain asserted, was paramount law, and no enactment of the legislature could violate it. The speech of the captain was decidedly emphatic. He declared that it was the duty as well as the privilege of the people to nominate and elect their public servants under the law, and he had no fear but that if the temperance candidates were elected they could assume the duties of their positions without trouble.

SQUELCHED.

Before any further discussion could be heard, a motion was made that Captain Post's motion be laid upon the table, and the motion was adopted by a rising vote of 47 to about 15. This ended the whole matter and the meeting adjourned informally.

Capt. Post stated publicly that he did not apply "in the ring" offensively to Mr. Vail; that he respected his opinion, and regarded him as one of the trusted temperance men, and then Mr. Vail gracefully accepted the captain's explanation, and everything was lovely again.

The City Attorneyship.

It is believed by some that a city attorney can properly be elected now. I do not believe this to be the law, but think the nomination of the mayor and confirmation by the council gives the legal title to the office. Yet, as the mayor has signified his intention of nominating, in case of a race, the one who gets the most votes for city attorney, I have determined, in response to the published request of "Many Citizens" to run. Certainly he who gets the most votes and also the appointment, will have no fear of his title.

E. P. VAIL.

The Knights.

On next Wednesday evening Mr. George S. Knight, who has made the great "hit" of the present dramatic season, will appear with his company in "Baron Rudolph." The New York *World* says:

"Mr. and Mrs. George S. Knight, who have recently returned from England, opened last night at the Grand Opera House in "Baron Rudolph," the new serio-comic drama written for them by Bronson Howard. Mrs. Knight as Mrs. Nellie Dashwood, a charming widow, who is fishing for a husband, has abundant opportunities to display her various accomplishments, and Mr. Knight, as the Baron Rudolph, an heir to a great German estate, is a great deal more than a mere dialect actor. The support was good and the house was crowded."

Popular prices 35, 50 and 75 cents.

WE are assured, on what ought to be good authority, that Mr. D. H. Conklin, the new receiver, has decided to locate the general offices of the Illinois Midland railway in this city, and that the removal from Terre Haute to Decatur will take place one day this week. There is an abundance of room in the Midland building at the foot of East Main street for the accommodation of the various officials and their clerks, but the rooms need fixing up to be made comfortable. Mr. Conklin's family is at Streator, Ill., at present.

Real Estate.

We would call the attention of purchasers to the new Brenneman addition to Decatur. These lots, ten in number, front east on North Union, and lie between King and Marietta streets. They are especially desirable, being but a short distance from the business part of town. Across the entire front of the addition is a row of elm trees. Terms very reasonable. Apply to

MONTGOMERY & SHULL,
April 15—d1w Powers' Block.

THE WARD HORSES.

Both Recovered and the Thieves in the Indiana Penitentiary.

It will be remembered by REPUBLICAN readers that on the 24th of last September Patrick Ward's team of horses, worth $400, and a light spring wagon, were stolen from the east side of the park in this city. We are gratified to state that through the efforts of Marshal Hewes, with the aid of Indianapolis officials, the whereabouts of the stolen property is now known. Marshal Hewes received a telegram last evening from Indianapolis stating that the horses are there. To-morrow the Marshal will go to Indianapolis and return with the property, for the recovery of which a reward of $75 has been offered. The parties who stole the team are now in the Indiana penitentiary, having been convicted in January last for stealing three horses in that state. The fact that these men had stolen the Ward team was obtained from the convicts by an Indianapolis officer, who also learned the whereabouts of the horses.

The Unknown.

The residents in the neighborhood three miles southwest of Decatur, are greatly concerned as to the identity of the man found dead in the Wikoff pasture on Wednesday last. Josiah Widick and W. H. Neyhard gave the REPUBLICAN a call Saturday evening, and desired that a full description of the personal effects of the unknown be published. The man was apparently 40 years of age; his height was about 5 feet 8 inches; had no beard on his face; on his body was a blue calico shirt, partly torn off by hogs; had on good plow shoes, No. 9's; black wool hat; in square oil cloth satchel were a dark sheep's gray jeans coat, red striped flannel lining; pantaloons of same material; the upper part of stockings were blue, with sheep's gray or white and black mixed foot; also one nicely ironed white and one red handkerchief, both folded neatly.

Humpty Dumpty.

George H. Adams, the celebrated pantomimic artist, and the funniest of all the trick clowns, will display the ludicrous adventures of Humpty Dumpty at the opera house to-night. All in all, he is the best clown in the profession, especially in his great variety of tricks. His stilt specialty alone gives him an eminence, and this, in connection with the other features he introduces, and which he executes in a mirth provoking style, all his own, indicates that he stands on a level with the Great Grimaldi of the olden time, and who was grandfather to Mr. Adams. The mechanical tricks will be something wonderful and the orchestral music will be extra fine. The troupe has arrived in the city, and will appear to-night without fail.

V. H. Parke.

This gentleman, who has lived in Decatur so many years, is a candidate for alderman in the second ward, as will be seen by an announcement in to-day's paper. There is no question as to Mr. Parke's fitness for the position of alderman. He is a careful, prudent man, who knows just how much a dollar is worth, and who would carry his business habits into the council. He is a man of conservative notions, who would not squander the people's money in foolish experiments. He would make a first-rate alderman. Mr. P. is an anti-license man, and is the nominee of the prohibitionists of the second ward.

MR. CHARLES P. HOUSUM has been sent a printed programme of exercises to be observed at the spring meeting of the Council Bluffs Driving Park and Fair Association, at Council Bluffs, Iowa, on May 30, 31 and June 1st. Six handicap foot races, distance one half mile, one mile, quarter of a mile, one 300 yards, one 200 yards, and one 100 yards, free to all, for a cash prize of $100 each, will take place on the first day. The hose race for a purse of $400 $300 to first and $100 to second best, open to all will take place on the 31st.

MR. A. O. BREWER, the energetic proprietor of the Bon Ton Bakery on North Main street, has recently fitted up his salesroom in elegant style, giving himself and his many patrons more room in which to do business on both sides of the lengthened counter. Mr. Brewer has also purchased a new and handsome delivery wagon, being compelled to do so by his rapidly increasing trade. He now has two wagons delivering his famous bread, buns, rolls, cakes, etc.

A FLOATING paragraph states that Rev. Stephen Herron, of Corinth, Williamson county, has been at Lincoln and gave bail in $300 for his wayward son, who was under arrest for horse stealing. The boy says he left home to seek work. Previous to reaching Decatur he was robbed of what money he had. Being among strangers, without money, cold and hungry, in sheer desperation he committed the theft to relieve his necessities.

THE local politicians were noticed Sunday afternoon collected in little knots on the sunny sides of the buildings. The election was the principal topic of conversation at the postoffice corners Sunday forenoon before the doors were thrown open. The question will be settled to-morrow, and then there will be peace in the community again, perhaps.

THE mayoralty question is in somewhat of a muddle in Decatur at present. It was asserted at the tabernacle on Saturday night by Mr. Vail that nine-tenths of our lawyers are of the opinion that the present mayor will hold over, and that an election of another would only occasion endless litigation.

A "BRUSH PEST" named Net Carroll was arrested this forenoon and placed behind the bars in the county jail by Sheriff Foster, as a common vagrant. This woman was arrested some weeks ago and discharged on condition that she would leave the city at once.

To Owners of Dogs.

Ladies and Gentlemen: If you value a dollar more than your dog, kill him or convert him into greenbacks or government bonds before the first day of May. The law makes it my painful but imperative duty to list all dogs owned by you on the first day of May. The tax is one dollar per dog. Yours Truly,

FRED. J. SMITH, Assessor.

THE W. U. Telegraph office and Telephone Exchange are now under entirely separate management. Mr. Leon Sullivan has charge of the Telephone Exchange, and Mr. Helm of the telegraph office.

BEST selection of Millinery in the city at Miss A. Miller's, opposite the post office. 30-dtf 1

PERSONAL MENTION.

"W. Whorter" is the worst yet.

E. Drum, editor of the Bement *Gazette*, paid us a fraternal call this forenoon.

Hon. Jason Rogers passed Sunday at home.

Captain Byron Barrett is at present making his business headquarters at Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Samuel McBride was the leader at the Y. M. C. A. chapel yesterday afternoon. Miss Clerk presided as organist.

J. M. Underwood declines to make the race for alderman in the first ward, and publishes a card to that effect.

Hon. B. K. Durfee arrived home from Springfield Saturday, and was still in the city to-day.

"Ed," and "Dave" will oppose each other to-morrow in the contest for city attorney.

Geo. Moeller has sold his show ground lot on North Main street to J. A. Merriweather for $750.

Ex-Governor Oglesby departed for Elkhart this morning, and will be absent for a few days.

Rev. J. C. Bonham, formerly of this city, has sold his residence property at Webster Grove, near St. Louis, and removed to Kansas City.

J. C. Helm this morning assumed his responsibilities as manager of the Western Union Telegraph office, vice J. R. Getty, resigned. Mrs. Helm is also a practical operator.

We learn to-day that Prof. Taylor, of Lincoln University has been elected principal of the State Normal School at Emporia, Kansas, in place of R. B. Welch, resigned.

Clark Hedges has recovered from his attack of varioloid at Moawequa, and is now at Argenta with his infant child. His sister-in-law, Miss Meister, will recover.

Chenoweth Greenfield, a former resident of Decatur, while at work with a corn sheller, had the fingers of his left hand so badly crushed that they had to be amputated. The thumb will probably be saved.

We had a pleasant call to-day from Mr. Charles Van Horn, of Larned Kan., who has been visiting his old home at Macon. He is at present engaged in the milling and grain business at Larned, and reports crop prospects in that region as better than ever before.

Funeral of the Late Mrs. Bear.

The obsequies attending the burial of the late Mrs. D. F. Bear, took place at Boiling Springs Church on Sunday last at 11 o'clock, in the presence of a very large assembly of people and sympathizing friends of the bereaved husband and mourning relatives. The services, which were most impressive in character, were conducted by Elder Gregory. The remains were laid at rest in the church cemetery, the pall-bearers being Messrs. J. S. Tait, F. B. Tait, Perry Vance, Frank Barber, Edward Williamson and William A. Holman, all of whom, with the exception of Mr. Vance, having been the deceased's schoolmates.

To the Temperance Voters of the Second Ward.

Gentlemen, the regular candidates on the temperance ticket for the 2d ward are V. H. Park and F. M. Cox. They are both good business men and pronounced friends of temperance. If elected they will vote against license. Take no chances by voting for any other men.

D. L. BUNN.

For City Attorney.

Edward P. Vail, Esq., one of our most prominent lawyers, is to-day announced as a candidate for city attorney. He publishes a card in response to a call made on him through our columns on Saturday to be a candidate, setting forth his views on the situation. It should be remembered that Mr. Vail is not the nominee of any party, but an independent candidate, just as Mr. Hutchison is, and that the mayor will appoint which ever one of the two receives the most votes.

M. A. MYER & SON of this city, have the contract for repainting the residence of J. E. Bering lately purchased from Ex-Gov. Oglesby. Look out for a transformation of the dwelling, and the new style of exterior decoration.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at McWhorter & Rollins. Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, April 17.

Wheat— ——Apr;$1.31¾ May;$1.32¾ June; $1.29 July.
Corn— —— Apr; 77¼ May; 75¼ June; 73¾ July;—Year.
Oats— —— April; 52¼ May; 52 June; 46½ July.
Pork—— —— Apr; $18.35 May; $18.55 June.
Lard—— —— Apr; $11.50 May; $11.62½ June.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Hogs—Estimated receipts,25,000; Prices 5 cts. lower.

	Receipts.	*Shipments.*	*Car Lots.*
Wheat	34,581	120,243	47
Corn	77,444	323,850	347
Oats	57,972	84,801	152
Rye	1400	37910	7

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Wheat—$1.40½ April; $1.40 May; $1.37½ June. $1.15½ July;—— ——Aug.
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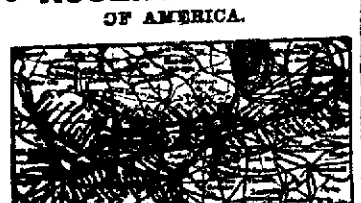

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To all Points East, West, North or South,
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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No. 6, Through Express .... 7:05 a. m
" 4, Atlantic Express .... 12:00 m. m
" 2, Lightning Express .... 10:55 p. m
" 8, Bement Accommodation .... 7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East .... 10:20 a. m
Going " .... 7:15 p. m
Going " .... 4:00 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 3, Fast Line .... 4:35 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation, 6:50 a. m
" 5, Fast Mail .... 3:40 p. m
" 1, Through Express .... 7:30 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going west .... 1:45 p. m
Going " .... 11:30 p. m

Chicago Divsion.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement.

GOING EAST.

No. 48, Chicago Express .... 12.25 a. m
" 46, Through Express .... 7:15 a. m
" 44, Chicago Mail .... 12:45 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express .... 3.45 a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail .... 5:35 p. m
" 41, Through Express .... 7.15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 47, St. Louis Express .... 4:50 a. m
" 43, Fast Line .... 3.05 a. m
" 41, Decatur and St. Louis Accom., 6:30 a. m
45, Fast Mail .... 50 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express .... 12:16 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express .... 11:55 a. m
" 4, St. Louis and Decatur Accom., 9:15 p. m
" 42, Lightning Express .... 10:16 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West .... 7.30 a. m
Arrive from West .... 1.00 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East .... 10:10 a. m
Leave for Champaign .... 20:0 p. m

For Maps, Time Tables, or any information call on or address

J. C. GAULT, Gen. Manager,
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Peoria Decatur & Evansville R'y

Take this Line for

Burlington, Council Bluffs

Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

GOING EAST.

Passenger .... 10 40 a. m.
" .... 9 45 p. m.
Freight .... 3 F p. m.

GOING WEST.

Passenger .... 7 00 a. m.
" .... 1 22 p. m.
Freight .... 10 45 a. m.

C. L. BRADBURY, Gen'l Manager.
W. S. NICHOLS, Ticket Agent.
C. L. HOVEY, Freight Agent.
Decatur, Ill., March 21, 1882

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 1, 1882.

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger .... 6:05 a m
Accommodation .... 3:10 p m
Freight .... 4:20 "

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation .... 10:10 a m
Passenger .... 5:30 p m
Freight .... 10:10 a m

E. T. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
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Indianapolis Decatur and Springfield

RAILWAY COMPANY.

Take this for the East and all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railway, Illinois Central (Chicago Division), Paris and Danville Railway, E., T. H. & C. R'y, and I. C. & S. R'y. Close connections being made at all Junction Stations, and through tickets on sale at the ticket office, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME-CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

Mail and Express No. 2 .... 12 15 p. m
Night Express No. 4 .... 11 00 p. m.
Way Freight .... 6 00 a. m
Mixed and Stock Train No. 10 .... 5 50 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No 1 .... 3 00 p. m.
Night Express No. 3 .... 4 30 a. m.
Way Freight .... 7 30 p. m.
Through Fr'ht and mixed train No. 9, 8 15 a. m

H. S. MORSE, Superintendent.
G. T. NUTTER, Traffic Manager.
Decatur, Ill., April 17, 1881

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Sunday, April 9th, 1882, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

Going East—Arrive, Mail & Express 7:40 p. m.
" " Leave " " 6:40 a. m.
" West Arrive " " 7:55 p. m.
" " Leave " " 6:45 a. m.

GEO. B. SPITLER, Agent.
D. H. CONKLIN, Gen. Supt.

S.S.S.

The Great Vegetable Blood Medicine. Guaranteed to cure Syphilis in all stages, Scrofula, Rheumatism, *or any Blood Disease, hereditary or otherwise.*

DRS. GALLOWAY & ROBINSON, Monroe, Ga., say: "Used S. S. S. for twelve months in treatment of Syphilis without disappointment.—Physicians will have to acknowledge it a specific."

Ask the druggist or write for the little book. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga., Prop's. Sold by druggists everywhere. Price reduced to $1.75 per bottle. Small size price $1.00. 2

M. A. MYER. F. C. MYER.

MYER & SON,

HOUSE AND SIGN

PAINTERS!

SPECIALTIES:

Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Frescoing and Tinting.

Shop—One block north of City Park corner of State and William streets.
Oct. 20 1880—d1f

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois
Jan. 1, 1880—d&w

WILLIAM T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY.

Office No. 10 Water street, Decatur, Illinois. Private funds to loan on farm lands.

MACKENZIE —CAN— FIT YOU! TRY HIM —AT— J. W. BAKER'S.

LADIES' SHOES MADE TO MEASURE, —AT— J. W. BAKER'S, 18 East Main Street.

USE LAWRENCE & MARTIN'S

TOLU ROCK and RYE.

TRADE MARK.

Over 2,000,000 Bottles Consumed Annually.

FOR COUGHS, COLDS, SORE THROAT, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, PNEUMONIA, CONSUMPTION and all Diseases of the THROAT, CHEST AND LUNGS.

BALSAM OF TOLU Has always been one of the most important weapons wielded by the MEDICAL FACULTY against the encroachments of COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, SORE THROAT, CONSUMPTION in its incipient and advanced stages, and all diseases of the THROAT, CHEST and LUNGS, but it has never been so advantageously compounded as in the celebrated TOLU, ROCK and RYE. In addition to its soothing Balsamic properties, it affords a diffusive stimulant and tonic, to build up the system after the cough has been relieved.

Put up in Quart Size Bottles for Family Use, Price, $1.00.

CAUTION! Do not be deceived by dealers who try to palm off upon you Rock and Rye in place of our TOLU, ROCK AND RYE, which is the ONLY MEDICATED article made—the genuine has a Private Die Proprietary Stamp on each bottle.

THE TOLU, ROCK and RYE CO., Proprietors, 41 River St., Chicago, Ill.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS, GROCERS AND DEALERS EVERYWHERE.
Jan. 2, 1882—d6m

SPEER'S

PORT GRAPE WINE!

Used in the principal Churches for Communion purposes.

EXCELLENT FOR LADIES AND WEAKLY PERSONS AND THE AGED.

SPEER'S PORT GRAPE WINE,

FOUR YEARS OLD.

THIS CELEBRATED NATIVE WINE is made from the juice of the Oporto Grape, raised in this country. Its invaluable

Tonic and Strengthening Properties

are unsurpassed by any other Native Wine. Being the pure juice of the Grape, produced under Mr. Speer's own personal supervision, its purity and genuineness are guaranteed.—The youngest child may partake of its generous qualities, and the weakest invalid use it to advantage. It is particularly beneficial to the aged and debilitated, and suited to the various ailments that affect the weaker sex. It is in every respect A WINE TO BE RELIED ON.

SPEER'S

P. J. SHERRY.

The P. J. SHERRY is a wine of Superior Character, and partakes of the rich qualities of the grape from which it is made. For Purity, Richness, Flavor and Medicinal Properties, it will be found unexcelled.

SPEER'S

P. J. BRANDY

This BRANDY stands unrivalled in this Country, being far superior for medicinal purposes.

IT IS A PURE distillation from the grape, and contains valuable medicinal properties.

It has a delicate flavor, similar to that of the grapes, from which it is distilled, and is in great favor among first-class families.

See that the signature of ALFRED SPEER Passaic, N. J., is over the cork of each bottle

Sold by W. C. Armstrong,

And by Druggists Everywhere.
Aug. 31 1881—d1y

FRANK W. HAINES

BILL POSTER DISTRIBUTOR,

—AND—

AGENT SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE,

may be found on inquiry at the REPUBLICAN Counting Room.

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine. Feb3-d&w1y

BLENZ & DANZEISEN

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS,

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

- A NEW STOCK OF—

SMOKED AND CURED

MEATS,

Hams,
Breakfast Bacon,
Dried Beef,
Bologna and Lard
at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock Feb19'78dtfd.

We have Just Received

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

BREECH AND MUZZLE-LOADING

SHOT-GUNS

AND

REVOLVERS

Ever seen in Central Illinois, and being

BOUGHT FOR CASH,

We are enabled to Retail them

AT WHOLESALE PRICES

We Warrant Everything as Represented

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK AND PRICES.

KORSMEYER & O'NEILL,

Prairie St., 2 doors East Post Office.
March 3, 1881—d&w1y

PALACE HOTEL,

N. LAUX, Proprietor,

South Main St., corner of Wood, Decatur, Ill. $2.00 per day. Livery stable in connection with house. Carriages furnished at all hours. Feb. 9, 1881—d&wy

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILL., APRIL 19, 1882.

IT MAKES US LAUGH.

To watch a candle dip snuff.
To see an arrow-maker a bow.
To see five cent cigar-sign a deed.
To see a button-hole a billiard ball.
To see a sight-draft make a man hot.
To smoke a good pipe that isn't a mere sham.

To see a blind man buying part of a county site.

To hear a dark lamp-post a policeman about the burglar.

To see a dim star-light a drove of cows along the milky-way.

To see a lazy correspondent proceeding with special dispatch.

To see a young limb of the law take a lien on a fat female client.

To hear precious tones drop from the mouth of a diamond merchant.

To hear a dinner-settee while the supper-time pieces the pants of the tired man-servant.

To see a society girl change the schedule of her train as she holds up at a muddy crossing.

To see a shop-lifter safe while the thief enters the back doors of a fat man with a skeleton key.

1862—1882.

The celebration of the 20th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Moses A. Stare took place on Thursday, April 13th, at their residence in Whitmore township. About thirty persons were present. Most of them went out from town; by 10 o'clock the most of the friends had arrived. At noon there was a beautiful feast prepared, at which all did justice and showed that they knew how to appreciate a square meal. After opening the various parcels that were brought, they were found to contain the following articles: Half dozen cups and saucers, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kain; one dozen dinner plates, Mr. and Mrs. George Stare; one dress pattern, 4 yards muslin, 7 goose eggs and two dollars in silver, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. T. Markley; gravy tureen, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stare; meat platter and dress pattern, Miss Nancy Stare; tureen and shirting, Mrs. Z. T. Blain; fruit dish, Mr. and Mrs. A. Westhafer; glass fruit dish and cake stand, Mrs. Fannie Magee; china fruit dish, Misses Sarah and Clara Stare; majolica pitcher, Mr. Jno. Stare; glass pitcher, Grandma Barnett; air castle, Miss Mollie Magee; three yards gingham, Mrs. Pete Stare; one large doll and two small ones, Misses Ida Kain and Emma Stare. After spending a good social time together until 4 o'clock, the friends began to part for their homes, wishing them a happy future.

A General Stampede.

Never was such a rush made for any drug store as is now at Hubbard & Swearingen's for a trial bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. All persons afflicted with Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Severe Cough, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs, can get a trial bottle of this great remedy *free*, by calling at the above drug store. 4

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swearinger.
Jan. 31, '82-to March 1, '83.

LADIES' Kid Button Boots, soft, light sole, at BARBER & BAKER'S.
April 15-d&wtf

CHEAP GOODS are the result of judicious purchases from first hands, and the largest sales with the least expense. That we have attained this end is a pretty well established fact. And though we call attention in our advertisements to special articles, there are no departments and no articles in departments, from the smallest to the largest, that will not bear the same scrutiny. We hold that merchants are as much bound to adhere to the truth in their advertisements as farmers or mechanics in their business transactions; and that misrepresentations are resorted to where there is no merit, and for the purpose of deceiving the plain unsuspecting class, who can least afford the deception, which robs them of their dues. Goods constantly change in *styles* and prices, so that the *most experienced merchants* find it difficult to determine values; and the seeming artlessness which invests the ordinary buyer, or the "intelligent public" with a knowledge of merchandise, that *nine merchants in ten do not possess*, may be very flattering indeed, but this observation is only made to lull persons into security in order to practice a still greater deception. There is no law to punish dealers for representing their purchases as coming direct from *importers and manufacturers*, when the facts are against them. Nor for giving *special reasons* for marking down goods, after six weeks untiring labor, TWO HUNDRED PER CENT. BELOW COST. But the dealer who indulges in such misrepresentations on paper will do so over the counter; consequently to show courtesy where it does not belong, or to AFFECT a regard for the integrity of *all* competitors might seem very magnanimous were it not for these palpable evidences to the contrary. We invite the most critical investigation to what we say and do in DRY GOODS and CARPETS; also to every other article of merchandise composing our stock.
LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 25-d&wtf

WITNESS the Great Overcoat Sale at Cheap Charley's. Remember he has reduced the prices of them to less than cost of manufacture. Call and see, whether you wish to buy or not. mc'h2d&wtf

GENTLEMEN'S Neck Wear and Hosiery of all kinds, to suit everybody, at Decatur's One Price Clothing House, corner of old square. [March 28-d&wtf

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&w1y

BUSKINS, broad and soft, just the thing for old ladies, at BARBER & BAKER'S.
April 15-d&wtf

STRICT ATTENTION, politeness always shown to patrons, no misrepresentations permitted at Cheap Charley's, the manufacturer of clothing exclusively for retail trade.
m'ch2d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

SHELLABARGER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

Newspaper Secrets.

There is probably no newspaper man of experience in the country who does not hold secrets of importance in his mind which, if made public, would create a sensation, but would stamp him as being unreliable and consequently unfit for his profession. The great race for precedence in the publication of news impels him to do his utmost to outstrip his contemporaries, but a higher feeling, the dictates of honor, keeps sacred the trusts reposed.—Frequently persons would like to know the authorship of certain matters published, and whether his efforts are directed to "pumping" the managing editor or the galley boy, his efforts are equally as fruitless. Every compositor on a paper, as a rule, knows the handwriting he sets up, but if any other persons think they can learn it from him—well, let them try. —*Toledo Telegram.*

Tea-Table Talk.

John G. Saxe, the poet, who is so afflicted mentally in his old age, has a competency which was greatly increased some years ago by a fortunate speculation in Texas cattle raising with his brother, Peter Saxe. The poet furnished some of the capital and his brother went to Texas to attend to the ranche. "My brother John," Peter said some years ago, "has made more money out of cattle in one year than he has made in writing poetry in twenty years."

A Venetian glass manufacturer is fabricating ladies' bonnets by the thousand, and selling them too. The glass of which they are made is shinier than silk, has a finer color, and is none the worse for a heavy shower of rain.

Mrs. Alfa Boynton, mother of Dr. S. A. Boynton, one of President Garfield's physicians, and only sister of Grandma Garfield, died yesterday at her home in Hiram, O., aged 75.

Dr. D. W. Bliss, who says that he overtaxed his strength in President Garfield's case, will leave Washington shortly for an extended tour through Europe.

The New York supreme court has decided that a wife may sue her husband for damages for assault and battery.

Ex-Senator Gordon, of Georgia, is going to Europe on business connected with the development of land in the southern states.

True to her Trust.

Too much cannot be said of the ever faithful wife and mother, constantly watching and caring for her dear ones, never neglecting a single duty in their behalf. When they are assailed by disease, and the system should have a thorough cleansing, the stomach and bowels regulated, blood purified, and malarial poison exterminated, she must know that Electric Bitters are the only sure remedy. They are the best and purest medicine in the world and cost only fifty cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 4

INFANT'S SHOES, of every description, at BARBER & BAKER'S.
April 15-d&wtf

A Novel and Perfect Cure for Scrofula Salt Rheum, Cancer, Etc.

A discovery has recently been made which adds luster to the Nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract from the Red Clover Blossom, as extracted by J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich., who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER.

A slight testimonial:

TOLEDO, OHIO, Jan. 17, 1882.

J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich.:

Gentlemen—My wife has for some time been afflicted with something like a scrofulous disease, and found no relief until she gave your Extract of Red Clover a trial. I am happy to say she has experienced great relief. This is but a slight testimonial of my appreciation of your efforts in behalf of humanity, which you are welcome to use for their benefit. I am very respectfully, H. ARMS.
Feb. 3, 1882—d&w1yr

Ladies

In want of Hosiery, Corsets, Laces, Embroideries or Muslin Underwear, will find with us the handsomest, most complete and best assorted stock in this section of country. *Our prices are lower* than those of any house in Decatur.

18 CHEAP STORE,
Apr 18 d&w1w Sol Moritz & Co.

THERE are no departments in dry goods which deserve more consideration from ladies than Hosiery, Gloves and Corsets, and it will surprise those who would walk five blocks to save 1 cent a yard on calico, when we assure them that many of these articles are retailed from 25 to 40 per cent *higher* than we sell them.
feb13-d&wtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

MORE cases of sick headache, biliousness, constipation, etc., can be cured in less time, with less medicine, and for less money, by using Carter's Little Liver Pills, than by any other means. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 14

IF you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at Shellabarger's.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

MAKE your selection for spring suits at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of old square. A large line of domestic and imported Woolens, of the latest style, which will be made up to order at low price, in the most fashionable style, have just arrived. [28-d&wtf

MEN'S fine low shoes, all styles, at
15-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER'S.

"FAIR DEALING" is our standard! "ONE PRICE" is our anchor! "PERMANENT POPULARITY" is our goal.
m'ch2-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.
ONE-PRICE CLOTHING MANUFATURER.

THE People's Favorite Clothier is CHEAP CHARLEY'S. Because his Clothing is made so well and cut so nicely. Because his assortment is so varied and fashionable. Because his salesmen are so obliging and gentlemanly, and take so much time and pains to please his customers. It is an acknowledged fact that nearly all *well-dressed young men, boys and children are fitted out at the Fashionable Clothing Emporium of*
m'ch2-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

C. F. Bachman & Bro.

If you wish to get value received call on C. F. Bachman & Bro. They keep a full line of Bed Room Suits, Parlor Suits, Book Cases, Mattresses, Spring Beds, Chairs, etc. Also the celebrated Superior Cook Stove, the best in the world; every stove fully guaranteed. Remember the place and give them a call. Sign of the Big Elephant, south of the Park.
April 7-d&w1y

Cheerfulness.

Of all their surface qualities—I use the word "surface" not as excluding "substance," but rather implying it—none is more noteworthy among the Japanese than their cheerfulness at work. It is a quality shared by all classes and common to all employments. The Japanese statesman dictates a dispatch or discusses a Cabinet question with a smile on his face; the financier, more astonishing yet, smiles over the intricacies of a deficient budget; the preacher smiles during every pause in his sermon; the writer at his desk; the shopkeeper smiles while chaffering with his customer, the servant on receiving his master's orders, the smith while forging the metal, the potter manipulating the clay, the husbandman as he wades knee-deep in mud across the rice fields, the bargeman propelling his clumsy boat against wind and tide; nay, even the convict at his forced labor by the roadside. And, what is more, a very slight occasion will broaden the smile into a hearty laugh. All this is true and genuine good humor, based firstly, no doubt, on a good digestion, but also on a remarkably elastic temperament, great courage, and the sound, good sense that everywhere and everyhow makes the best of things. Had Mark Tapley been somewhat more of a gentleman in manners, he might have passed for an average Japanese.—*Fortnightly Review.*

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Sold by Henry Smith.

ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. Sold by Henry Smith.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and $1. Sold by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker Mouth. Sold by Henry Smith.

"HACKMETACK," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis. Sold by Henry Smith.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by Henry Smith.

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith.
Dec. 2—d&weow

ORDERS for DECATUR NUT COAL, screened, promptly filled by R. McClelland Telephone at Cole Bros' drug store.
Jan 13-dtf

NOBBY HATS at Stine's. Latest style in stiff Brim Hats at STINE'S.
Feb. 25-dtf

St. Louis Beer.

Anthony & Kuhn's celebrated St. Louis Lager Beer delivered to any part of the city in large or small kegs, by
J. S. CAMPBELL, Agent.
July 30dtf

DRY Stove Wood, at McClelland's coal yard. Send orders from Cole Bros.' drug store. Sept6-dtf

LEAVE orders at Cole Bros.' drug store, at the New Deming and St. Nicholas Hotels for Lintner's carriages and omnibuses. Also send orders by telephone to the office on South Main street. Calls made at all hours of the day and night. Passengers and baggage transferred to and from all trains and to all parts of the city promptly. Nov29-dtf

Grape Culture and Wine in New Jersey.

Mr. A. Speer, of New Jersey, one of the largest grape producers in the East, commenced, but a few years ago in a small way, to make wines from currants, blackberries, and other fruits. He now controls large vineyards of the Oporto grape, his Mount Prospect Vineyards are at Passaic, N. J., from which his famous Port Grape Wine is made, and which chemists and physicians say rivals the world for its beneficial effects on weakly and aged persons, and consumptives. For sale by W. C. Armstrong. 8-d2w

DON'T buy your new Hat until you see the immense new line just received at STINE'S. feb25dtf

THE W. C. T. U. meets every Thursday at 3 p. m., in their room over Mrs. Hamsher's store in Central Block. dtf

ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screened. Office with American Express Co.
March 23-dtf

HATS in all shapes, to suit all heads, to look well, wear well, and suit your pocket, just in at STINE'S. feb25dtf

HAVE you seen the "Solid Comfort" Chair? It is the best and cheapest rocking chair in the market; the very thing for the family circle. Call at Liddle's and see this new article of household comfort.
Feb. 6—d3mo

WE think we can cure a bad case of backache quicker with one of Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters, than by any other application. And after the backache is cured, you can still wear the plaster without discomfort for two or three weeks or longer. This combination of Smart Weed and Belladonna is a great hit, and it is hard to find any pain or ache that will not yield to it. Price 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 14

NOBBY Hats, soft and stiff, of the best brands, are always to be found at Fleury's, the French Cutter, corner of the old square. [March 28-d&wtf

BUTTERICK'S Spring Fashions and Publications at hand. LINN & SCRUGGS.
feb22-d&wtf.

AN unusually large line of fine white and colored Dress Shirts, as well as flannel, bicycle and working Shirts, are specialties at Decatur's One Price Clothing House, corner of old square.
March 28—d&wtf

PERUSE Cheap Charleys' new advertisement announcing the receipt of his immense spring stock. d&w-tf

A Few of Our Business Principles.

Let fair dealing be the basis of each transaction. Never urge a customer to buy what he don't want. If you buy low, sell accordingly and share your bargains with your patrons.
m'ch2-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

Bear in mind ladies, that whenever you send away for BLACK SILKS, *you will pay from $8 to $10 a pattern* MORE *than you can buy it of*
Feb. 11-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

THE well known strengthening properties of Iron, combined with other tonics and a most perfect nervine, are found in Carter's Iron Pills, which strengthen the nerves and body, and improve the blood and complexion. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 14

Disease is an effect, not a cause. Its origin is within; its manifestations without. Hence, to cure the disease the *cause* must be removed, and in no other way can a cure ever be effected. WARNER'S SAFE KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE is established on just this principle. It realizes that

95 PER CENT.

of all diseases arise from deranged kidneys and liver, and it strikes at once at the root of the difficulty. The elements of which it is composed act directly upon these great organs, both as a *food* and *restorer*, and, by placing them in a healthy condition, drive disease and pain from the system.

For the innumerable troubles caused by unhealthy Kidneys, Liver and Urinary Organs; for the distressing Disorders of Women; for Malaria, and for physical derangements generally, this great remedy has no equal. Beware of imposters, imitations and concoctions said to be just as good.

For diabetes, ask for WARNER'S SAFE DIABETES CURE.

For sale by all dealers.

H. H. WARNER & CO.,
April 17, 1882—d&wtf ROCHESTER, N. Y.

Hosiery!

SPECIAL SALE

THIS WEEK.

One Job Lot, comprising 50 dozen fine, regular made 3-Thread Hose, worth 50 cents. Our price 25 cents a pair.

One Job Lot, comprising 25 dozen Solid Cardinal Seamless Stockings, cheap at 40 cents. Our price 32 cents a pair.

One Job Lot, comprising 50 doz. Fancy Hose, usually sold at 8 and 10 cents. Our price 5 cents a pair.

A Full and Complete Stock

OF LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S

Plain AND Fancy Hosiery,

in Handsome New Styles, all at the LOWEST NEW YORK CASH PRICES.

GENTS' HALF HOSE

SEAMLESS BRITISH, regular 25 cent goods. Our price 20 cents a pair.

One Job Lot of Solid Cardinal, Navy and Brown, seamless, regular 50 center. Our price 25 cents a pair.

One Job Lot of fancy, full, regular made Seamless, cheap at 40 cents. Our price 25 cts. a pair.

Gents' Seamless Blue and Brown mixed Socks at 10 cents a pair.

Desirable and Attractive Bargains in men's cheap Socks, 5 to 12½ cents a pair.

WHEN YOU WANT

Hosiery,
Corsets,
Gloves
Or Notions,

CALL ON US.

You'll hear more about

BARGAINS

Soon at the

POPULAR

NEW YORK STORE,

21 Water Street, Decatur, Ill.
April 8, 1882-d&wtf

FOUND AT LAST!

AN OVERALL

THAT WILL NOT RIP.

EVERY PAIR WARRANTED.

For Sale only by

JOHN IRWIN,

White Front, Post Office Block.
March 22—d&wtf

MORGAN & STOUT,

Manufacturers of

TIN, COPPER

—AND—

Sheet Iron Work.

Roofing and Spouting a Specialty.

Cor. E. Main and Franklin Sts.,

DECATUR, ILLS.
March 16—dtf

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By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of The People of the State of Illinois and against Elizabeth A. Davis, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The north one hundred and ten (110) feet of lot No. eleven (11), in block No. nine (9), in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, Macon county and State of Illinois. Taken as property of the said Elizabeth A. Davis, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 5th day of May, A. D. 1882, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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